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CHARLES-TOWN, *June* 30.

VOTES of the Commons House of Assembly the last Afternoon of their Sitting.

WEDNESDAY, *the 29th Day of* June, 1748. P.M.

SEVERAL Bills (being engrossed) were committed to be examined, and for the Great Seal to be affixed.

Mr. *Pinckney* (the Master in Chancery) brought down Three Messages from the Governor, and the following Message from the Upper-House.

Mr. Speaker,

THE Upper-House have agreed to the engrossed Bill, entituled, *an Act for building and keeping in Repair a Pilot-Boat to attend the Bar of the Harbour of* Port-Royal, *and for the better settling and regulating the Pilotage of the said Harbour.*

And then the Messenger withdrew.

Then *Mr. Speaker* read the Governor's Messages to the House, which are as followeth, *viz.*

Mr. Speaker and Gentlemen,

SOME Time ago I sent some Workmen to examine the State and Condition of the House belonging to the Publick called the *Free-School*, and they have reported to me, that the Kitchen belonging to it is entirely ruinous; and Mr. *Anderson* informs me that it was in little better Condition when he came to it. They therefore report, that the said Kitchen must be new Floor'd, Weather-boarded and thoroughly repaired. They further report, that some of the Weather-boarding of the School-house itself is rotten and split, which must be renewed; that most of the Window-Shutters are broke off and lost, and being originally very slight as well as the Sashes, they all want a thorough Repair. That the Brick Work wants mending in several Places; and some other Repairs are necessary; all which will come to about 300 *l.* But that it will be to little Purpose to lay out the said Money, unless the School-House be entirely new shingled, the old ones being by length of Time perfectly rotten. This will take upwards of 200 *l.* more; so that for about 550 *l.* the whole may be put in a Condition to last these several Years. Directions may be now given for the Repair, and the Expence provided for by the next Tax. Of all which I thought proper to advise your House.

In the Council-Chamber,
the 29th Day of June, 1748. JAMES GLEN.

Mr. *Moncrief* the Carpenter, informs me, that if the whole House was to be new Weather-boarded, new Sills to the Windows, and several other Repairs (besides what I have mentioned above) that the Expence will come to upwards of 800 *l.*

JAMES GLEN.

Mr. Speaker and Gentlemen,

AGreeable to your Desire, I sent for the King of the *Catawba's*, and *Squirrel* King, and they accordingly came to Town, and returned Home well pleased. I also sent for *eight* of the Head-men of the *Cherokee's*, *three* of which are only arrived, and it is not to be doubted but the others will soon be here; it will be necessary therefore, that you come to some Resolution to provide Presents for them. The Expence of the *Indians* who have been here amounts to about 2000 *l.* but I am hopeful those I expect will not cost so much.

However I hope you will come to some Resolution of making Provision for the said Expence.

In the Council-Chamber,
the 29th Day of June, 1748. JAMES GLEN.

Mr. Speaker and Gentlemen,

A GREAT Part of the Time of the two Houses has been taken up about *Indian* Affairs; the Minds of many of the good People of the Province have been disturbed by Accounts from these Countries; and the Publick has been put to great Expence; Obscure *Indian* Traders and Pack-Horse Men frequently impose upon the Government by lying Letters and false Reports, and as they have hitherto done it with Impunity, may still continue to do so, if they meet with no Checque.

In the present Case some Persons have made their Marks, who could neither write nor read; others have signed the Letters who knew nothing of the Matter; and others, who, I think, could hardly believe them to be true, have nevertheless given a Sanction to them. I intend therefore to make a thorough Enquiry into these Affairs, that, if I find these Reports and Facts well founded, I may take the proper Steps to prevent the evil Consequences that may arise from them; if I find there has been any Art or Management and any Endeavour to impose upon this Government, that I may take Care to have the Authors and Promoters brought to condign Punishment. It will be necessary therefore that all Papers and Letters, Declarations or Affidavits, that have been before your House or your Committee, be laid before me as soon as possible.

In the Council Chamber,
the 29th Day of June, 1748. JAMES GLEN.

Mr. Evance reported, from the Committee to whom the Message from the Governor of the 27th Instant (in Relation to the Taxing of Salaries) and the two Messages from his Excellency of Yesterday (with Regard to his Excellency's House-Rent, and the Licencing of publick Houses) were referred, That the Committee had examined the Matter of the said Messages, and had directed him to report the same (as it appeared to them) to the House. And he read the Report in his Place, and afterwards delivered it in at the Clerk's Table, where the same was read, and is as followeth, (*that is to say*)

THAT your Committee are surprized, to find *His Excellency* should, at *this calamitous Time* of War, appear *so unaffected* with the Miseries thereof to the People of this Province, as to *desire* the *Allowances* and *Exemptions* mentioned in his Excellency's said Messages; and which your Committee conceives, if this present Assembly refuses to comply with, they will not be blameable for so doing in the Eye of the World.

As to his Excellency's Message of the 27th Instant, *desiring a Provision to be made of* 600 *l. Currency, for the* 120 *l. current Money* granted to the Governor of this Province in Lieu of Tavern-Licence Money. Your Committee does not find, that the same was *ever* demanded by any *former* Governor, nor is the same *reasonable* to be allowed to his *present* Excellency. For that, the Act *for regulating Tavern-Licences* grants *only* 120 *l.* current Money to the Governor; and *no more* has been paid to, or received by any *preceding* Governor, since the passing of the said Act. And tho' the Currency of this Province *differs* in Value, from the Currency of the Time the said Act was made, *such Difference* was occasioned by the *past Misfortunes* of the Province, and felt by *many others* as well as the Governors. And as the said Allowance was granted to the Governor in the late Lords Proprietors Time, when the Governors had but *very small* Appointments. Your Committee apprehend, the *Decay* of the Value of *our Currency* in that and other Instances (being what *former* Governors relied under) should not *now* be *supplied* by a special Provision to the *present* Governor.

has a much greater Allowance from the Public than was ever given to any Proprietary Governor of this Province; especially, as the Remainder of the said Fund arising from Tavern-Licences, is appropriated for the Support of a Watch in *Charles-Town*, which often falling short, is to be supplied by a peculiar Tax on the Inhabitants of the said Town.

As to his Excellency's Message of the 28th Instant, in which his Excellency observes, that in the *present* Tax-Bill there is *a Tax imposed on Officers Salaries* and *his Excellency's House-Rent*, which he desires may be taken off. Your Committee is of Opinion, that *his Excellency* has *greatly infringed on the Privileges of this House*, by his Excellency's said Message, in *taking Notice of the Contents of a Tax-Bill, or any other Bill, or any other Matter*, BEFORE the same is notified by the House to his Excellency; which your Committee recommend, may be *particularly* taken Notice of by the House, in a Message to his Excellency.

As to what his Excellency, in his Message, desires, relating to *Officers Salaries*, and that they should be *exempted from Taxes*. Your Committee is of Opinion, that stated Sums allowed for Officers Salaries (being the most certain Income in these precarious Times) are made very justly liable to a Tax, and that the same should continue to be taxed.

Your Committee taking under Consideration, his Excellency's Message relating to *his House-Rent*, for which he seems to *claim* an Allowance of 100 *l. Sterling*, in Consequence of a Resolution made and sent him by a *former* Assembly, soon after his Arrival here. Your Committee report, that there was not any Fund to make good the Payment thereof, nor is the said Resolution *binding* on the *present* or any *future* Assembly. And tho' there is an Allowance of 700 *l.* Currency made in the present Estimate for his Excellency's House-Rent, *at the Request of his Majesty's Council*. Yet should his Excellency give up his House in Town (as he says in his Message *he will, and thereby put all People who shall have Occasion to wait upon him in the Course of his Excellency's Administration, under the Necessity of going to him in the Country.*) Your Committee are of Opinion, there should not be *any Allowance* made for *his Excellency's House-Rent*, if he constantly resides in the Country, which was the Resolution also of a former Assembly.

Your Committee taking Notice of what his Excellency observes, of the *small Income* of his Fees, in Comparison to what Governor *Johnson* had in his Time. Your Committee believe, that as the Land-Office was just opened on Governor *Johnson's* Arrival, a considerable Acquisition of Fees arose to his said deceased Excellency, for his issuing Warrants and giving Grants of Lands: But as that was only a *temporary & occasional Income*, the *Failure thereof* to his *present* Excellency, is no *reasonable Cause of Complaint*, nor to be compensated by a Tax on the People. But as to his Excellency's other Fees and Perquisites, your Committee apprehend, from his Excellency's known Sagacity *in what concerns his Fees and Perquisites*, they are *not* any way *short* of what Governor *Johnson* had in all other Parts of his Administration, except the Land-Office, which, as your Committee before observed, was only occasional.

Your Committee do not doubt, but that his *present* Excellency's Salary in *England*, allowed by his Majesty, may be 200 *l. Sterling* short of what his Majesty allowed to Governor *Johnson*; a Distinction, your Committee apprehend, made by his Majesty, in Consideration of Governor *Johnson's* long Stay in England *for the Service of this Province*; but your Committee does not find, that *the Difference* of his Majesty's Allowance to his *present* Excellency, was ever expected, by his Majesty, to be *made up by any Allowance* for such Difference *from his Majesty's poor and faithful Subjects of this Province*, but rather intended by his Majesty, as *a Patern of Frugality* to his Majesty's People, in making Provision for his *Majesty's present Governor*.

The said REPORT being read a second Time, was *unanimously* agreed to by the House.

ORDERED, That a Message be prepared, to be sent to the Governor with a Copy of the said Report.

Mr. Johnson reported from the Committee, to whom the Message from his Excellency the Governor (in Relation to making Provision for *Abraham Smith*) was referred, That the Committee had examined the Matter of the said Message, and had directed him to report the same to the House. And he read the Report in his Place, and afterwards delivered it in at the Clerk's Table, where the same was read, and is as followeth *(that is to say)*

THAT the Committee having sent for the said *Smith* and examined him, they find, that he has been employed in the Public Service for some Time past, and are of Opinion, that he be paid the Sum of 100 *l.* out of any Monies in the Treasurer's Hands, to be replaced by the Tax next Year.

The said Report being read a second Time, was agreed to by the House.

ORDERED, That a Resolution be prepared, to be sent up for the Concurrence of his Excellency the Governor and the Honourable the Upper-House of Assembly, to direct the Public Treasurer to pay the same accordingly.

According to Order, the following Message was drawn, to the Governor, *viz.*

May it please your Excellency,

YOUR Message of the 27th Instant, in Relation to the *taxing of Salaries*, and your other Messages of Yesterday, concerning *your Excellency's House-Rent*, and *Tavern-Licences*, being of an *extraordinary* Nature, we *referred* the same to *the Consideration of a Committee*, who have made a REPORT thereon, a Copy of which is herewith sent your Excellency, and *to which* this House have *unanimously* agreed.

We must observe to your Excellency, that we are *very sensibly affected* at *the Violation of our Privileges* in one of your Excellency's said Messages, where you are pleased to take Notice of *the Matters contained in the Tax-Bill* now depending in Assembly, and which hath not yet been before your Excellency in a parliamentary Way. It hath been usual for Parliaments, when *Privileges* have been *invaded*, immediately to *resolve* not to proceed on any Business, 'till some Satisfaction is made for the same: But as we are willing to believe, your Excellency had *no* OTHER *Intention* in the said Message, but *to put the Profits of the Government on some more beneficial Condition*, we are very desirous to take no farther Notice thereof at present; especially, as we very sollicitous to put an End to the Public Business before us, which hath employed our Time and Attention for near these *Five* Months past, with very little Intermission.

By Order of the House,

WILLIAM BULL, *jun. Speaker.*

In the Commons House of Assembly, the 29th Day of June, 1748.

RESOLVED, That *Jacob Motte*, Esq; the Public Treasurer, do forthwith pay the Sum of 100 *l.* out of any Public Monies in his Hands, to *Abraham Smith*, for his Services in coming and going Express to the *Cherokee's*.

ORDERED, That the said Resolution be sent to his Excellency the Governor and the Honourable the Upper-House of Assembly, for their Concurrence.

RESOLVED, That this House will replace the said Sum, by the Estimate of the Public Debt for the current Year.

ORDERED, That the Speaker do sign the said Resolutions.

WILLIAM BULL, *jun. Speaker.*

ORDERED, That Mr. *Hartsfon* and Mr. *Waties* do carry the said Resolutions to the Governor and the Upper-House.

The Gentlemen to whom the several engrossed Bills were committed, reported, That the same were truly engrossed, and that they had been examined by some of the Members of the Upper-House, and that the Great Seal was affixed to the said Bills.

ORDERED, That a Message be sent, to acquaint the Governor that this House have several engrossed Bills to present for his Excellency's Assent, and to know his Pleasure when the House shall attend to present them: And that Mr. *Manigault* and Col. *Pinckney* do deliver the said Message.

The said Gentlemen accordingly withdrew: And being returned, Mr. *Manigault* reported to the House, that they had delivered the Message to the Governor, and that his Excellency was pleased to say, that he would signify his Pleasure in that Matter by the Master in Chancery.

ORDERED, That a Message be sent, to desire the Governor's Leave, to adjourn 'till the last Tuesday in *October* next: And that Mr. *Drayton* do deliver the same, after the several engrossed Bills shall be presented for his Excellency's Assent.

ORDERED, That Mr. *Johnson* do attend the Governor, with the Message and Copy of the Report from the Committee to whom his Excellency's Messages (in Relation to the *taxing of Salaries*, *his Excellency's House-Rent*, and *Tavern-Licences*) were referred.

A Message in Writing, from the Governor, by Mr. *William Pinckney*, the Master in Chancery (which was not reported to the House by Mr. *Speaker*) and the following Message,

Mr. Speaker,

THE Governor commands this House to attend his Excellency immediately, in the Council-Chamber.

And then the Messenger withdrew.

And

And accordingly, *Mr. Speaker* with the House, went up to attend the Governor in the Council-Chamber, where *Mr. Speaker* presented the following Bills to his Excellency for his Assent, *viz.*

1. *An additional Act, to an Act of the General Assembly of this Province, entituled,* an Act to impower Two Justices and Three Freeholders, or a Majority of them, to determine in all Actions of Debt, where the Matter in Dispute doth exceed 20 *l.* current Money (which is equal to 4 *l.* Proclamation Money) and is not more than 75 *l.* current Money (which is equal to 15 *l.* Proclamation Money.) *And to one other Act, entituled,* an Act for the Trial of small and mean Causes, and for repealing the several Acts now in Force which relate to the Recovery of small Debts.

[Which was rejected by his Excellency.]

2. *An Act, for building and keeping in Repair a Pilot-Boat to attend the Bar of the Harbour of* Port-Royal; *and for the better settling and regulating the Pilotage of the said Harbour.*

[Which was assented to by his Excellency.]

3. *An Act, for granting to his Majesty the Sum of* 16,127 *l.* *and* 5 *d. half Penny, for discharging the Debt incurred for the Defence of the Coasts and the Protection of the Trade of this Province. And for continuing the several Acts of the General Assembly of this Province therein mentioned.*

[Which was rejected by his Excellency.]

4. *An Act, for raising and granting to his Majesty, the Sum of* 59,447 *l.* 18 *s.* *and* 3 *d.* 1 *Farthing, for defraying the Charges of the Government, for One Year, commencing the* 25*th Day of* March *in the Year of our Lord* 1747 *inclusive, and ending the* 25*th Day of* March 1748 *exclusive.* And,

5. *An Act, for establishing a Ferry over* Cooper-River, *from the Plantation of* Henry Grey *in* Christ-Church *Parish to* Charles-Town; *and for vesting the said Ferry in the said* Henry Grey, *his Executors, Administrators and Assigns, for the Term of* seven *Years. And for settling the Rates of Ferriage at the Ferry established over the Western Branch of the said* Cooper River, *at a Place commonly called the* Strawberry; *and for vesting the said Ferry in* Lydia Ball, *her Executors, Administrators and Assigns, for the Term of* seven *Years. And for building a Bridge over* Black-River, *at or near a Place called the* King's-Tree *in the Parish of* Prince Frederick.

[Which were assented to by his Excellency.]

And *then* the GOVERNOR * **Prorogued** the General Assembly to the *second Tuesday* in *August* next.

Besides the above Acts there were passed the last Session of the General Assembly,

1. *An additional Act to an Act of the General Assembly of this Province, entituled,* an Act for enlarging the Qualifications of the Electors as well as the Persons to be elected to serve as Members of the General Assembly of this Province.

Passed the 12th Day of *March*, 1747-8.

2. *An Act, to revive and continue the several Acts of the General Assembly of this Province therein mentioned.*

Passed the 20th Day of *May*, 1748.

3. *An Act, for limiting the Time for commencing Prosecutions for the Recovery of Penalties imposed by Acts of the General Assembly of this Province, the Time not limited by such Acts.*

Passed the 20th Day of *May*, 1748.

4. *An Act, for stamping and issuing the Sum of* 106,500 *l. being the Amount of the present lawful Paper Bills of Credit in this Province. And for calling in and exchanging the Paper Bills of Credit now outstanding which are to Cease by Law in all Payments.*

Passed the 20th Day of *May*, 1748.

5. *An Act, for prohibiting and preventing the Exportation of Corn, Peas, small Rice, Flour and Biscuit from this Province, for the Term therein mentioned.*

Passed the 21st Day of *June*, 1748.

6. *An Act, for reducing of Interest from* Ten *to* Eight *by the Hundred.*

Passed the 21st Day of *June*, 1748.

7. *An Act, for impowering Persons to appoint Guardians to their Children. And for the easier obtaining Partitions of Lands in Coparcenary, joint Tenancy, and Tenancy in common, in this Province.*

Passed the 21st Day of *June*, 1748.

Two other Bills were presented for the Governor's Assent, which his Excellency was pleased to reject. One entituled,

An Act, for granting to His Majesty the Sum of 40,000 *l. current Money (being equal to* 8000 *l. Proclamation Money) for defraying the Expence of guarding the Coasts and protecting the Trade of this Province. And for stamping Orders to enable the Treasurer to pay the said Sum out of the Public Treasury, as the same may be wanted. And for sinking the said Orders in the Manner therein directed.* And the other entituled,

An additional Act, to an Act for appointing a public Vendue-Master, for the selling such Goods and Merchandizes as shall be exposed to Sale by public Outcry, *And to one other Act, entituled,* an Act, for establishing of a Market in the Parish of *St. Philip Charles-Town*, and for preventing Forestalling, Regrating, and unjust Exactions in the said Town and Market.

A LIST of the Members of the present Assembly.

1. The Honourable WILLIAM BULL, jun. Esq; *Speaker.*
2. DAVID HEXT,
3. JORDAN ROCHE,
4. BRANFILL EVANCE,
5. BENJAMIN SMITH,
6. ISAAC HOLMES,

Esqrs. *for* St. Philip Charles-Town.

7. JOHN RUTLEDGE,
8. ANDREW RUTLEDGE,

Esqrs. *for* Christ-Church.

9. GABRIEL MANIGAULT,
10. JACOB BOND,
11. JOHN DUTARQUE,

Esqrs. *for* St. Thomas & Dennis.

12. JOHN OULDFIELD,
13.

Esq; *for* St. James Santee.

14. WILLIAM WATIES,
15. PAUL TRAPIER,

Esqrs. *for* Prince George Winyaw.

16. ISAAC MAZYCK,
17. DANIEL CRAWFORD,

Esqrs. *for* Prince Frederick.

18. THOMAS BROUGHTON,
19. JOHN CORDES,
20. EDWARD HARLESTON,

Esqrs. *for* St. John *in* Berkley County.

21. HENRY IZARD,
22. JOHN MORETON,
23. THOMAS JOHNSON,
24. THOMAS MIDDLETON,

Esqrs. *for* St. James Goose-Creek.

25. HENRY MIDDLETON,
26.

Esq; *for* St. George, Dorchester.

27. WILLIAM BRANFORD,
28. BERNARD ELLIOTT,
29. THOMAS DRAYTON,

Esqrs. *for* St. Andrew.

30. FREDERICK GRIMKE,
31. WILLIAM ELLIOTT,
32. ELISHA BUTLER,

Esqrs. *for* St. Paul.

33. THOMAS CORDES,
34. JOHN JENKIN, *or*
35. JOHN LADSON,

Esqrs. *for* St. John, *in* Colleton County.

36. JAMES SKIRVING,
37. LAWRENCE SANDERS,
38. CULCHETH GOLIGHTLY,
39.

Esqrs. *for* St. Bartholomew.

40. WILLIAM CATTELL, *jun.*
41. WILLIAM ROPER,
42.

Esqrs. *for* St. Helena.

43. SAMUEL PRIOLEAU,
44.

Esq; *for* Prince William.

45.

A LIST of the Members of His Majesty's Council.

The Honourable WILLIAM BULL, Esq; Lieut. Governor.

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* The *Prorogation* of this Assembly was a Thing very *sudden* and unexpected, so that the Members of the Lower-House were *deprived* of the Opportunity of *delivering* (according to Order of the said House) the MESSAGES and REPORT contained in the foregoing Votes; And, we are told, or rather assured, that *this* Prorogation was made, *without* the Knowledge, Advice, or Approbation of His Majesty's Honourable Council, to *the great Astonishment* of every Member present.

The Hon. { James Kinloch, John Hammerton, John Colleton (in *England.*) Edmond Atkin, Joseph Blake, John Cleland, William Middleton, Charles Pinckney, Alex. Vanderdussen (in *England.*) Edward Fenwicke, Hector Berenger de Beaupain, } Esqrs.

CHARLES-TOWN, July 4.

On Wednesday last came Advice, that the Sloop *Catherine, Peter Marſhal* Maſter, from *Providence* for this Port, was taken the Day before, near this Bar, (by a ſmall *Spaniſh* Privateer) being the Day his Majeſty's Ship the *Rye* ſail'd to convoy a Fleet off the Coaſt.

The ſame Day Doct. *John Moultrie* was married to Mrs. *Elizabeth Matthewes*, a Widow Gentlewoman of great Merit, with a conſiderable Fortune.

Yeſterday Morning arrived the Schooner *Pretty Betſey, Thomas Wright* Maſter (a Flag of Truce) from the *Havanna*, with 66 *Engliſh* Priſoners, amongſt which are the following Maſters, *Gordon* of *Dumfries*, *Harriſon* of *Whitehaven*, *Barclay* and *Farris* of *Jamaica*, and *Hatton* of this Place.

The ſame Day in the Afternoon, came in here, the Snow *Jane, Abraham Keteltas* Maſter, for *New-York*, and Brigt. *Mermaid, John Collins* Maſter, for *Rhode-Iſland*; having on board the Officers and Crew of His Majeſty's Ship *Fowey*, of 40 Guns, lately commanded by Capt. *Drake*, which was loſt on Tueſday laſt on Cape *Florida*, together with a very rich *Spaniſh* Ship, of 20 Guns and upwards of 100 Men, from *Carthagena* to the *Havanna*, Prize to the ſaid Man of War: Nothing has been ſav'd out of either of theſe Wrecks (beſides the Men) but about 60,000 Dollars out of the Prize. The Ship *Fanny, Robert Mackey* Maſter, from *Jamaica* for *London*, which was (when the Snow and Brigt. above-mentioned left the Cape) alſo among the Reefs, was thought to be loſt or taken; but, juſt now came the agreeable News of her ſafe Arrival off this Bar. And,

In the Evening came Advice, that the Enemies Privateers had, within a few Days before, taken three Ships near this Bar.

On Thurſday laſt was launch'd, at *George-Town Winyaw*, the *Mary-Anne*, a Ship of 200 Tons and 12 Guns, built by Mr. *Benjamin Darling* Ship-Builder from *New-England*: The Frame is all of Live Oak, and ſhe allowed, by good Judges, to be the compleateſt Veſſel ever built in *America*, and inferior to none built in *Great-Britain*.

CUSTOM-HOUSE CHARLES-TOWN, *Enter'd Inwards.*

Ship Telemachus, Timothy Wheelwright, from New-England.
Schooner Pretty Betſey, Thomas Wright, and
Schooner Mary, John Guyman, from the *Spaniſh* Coaſt.

Entered Outwards.

Brigt. Dover, William Hodgſon, for Hull.

Clear'd for Departure. None.

EXPORTED from this Place, ſince the firſt of November laſt, the following Goods, of the Produce of this Province.

Rice, 49,472 Barrels.	Tann'd Leather, 6,207 Sides.
Pitch, 31,532 Barrels.	Beef & Pork, 4,262 Barrels.
Tar, 1367 Barrels.	Corn & Peaſe, 8,697 Buſhels.
Turpentine, 1848 Barrels.	Indigo, 133,316 *lb.*
Deer-Skins, 454 Hhds.	

Sold Duty at Charlestown, of the following Goods, of the Produce and Manufacture of this Province.

Rice per Ct. 55 *ſ.* to 57 *ſ.* 6	Deer-Skins, per *lb.* 16 *ſ.* 6
Pitch per Barrel, 45 *ſ.*	Indigo, 20 *ſ.*
Tar, 40 *ſ.*	Corn per Buſhel, 17 *ſ.* 6
Turpentine, 12 *ſ.* 6	Peaſe, 12 *ſ.* 6
Rum, 8 *ſ.*	Ballad Dyl per Quart, 12 *ſ.* 6
Pork, 9 *d.*	Staves, per 1000, 15 to 20 *l.*
Beef, 4 *l.* 10 *s.*	

ADVERTISEMENTS.

SOUTH-CAROLINA. Whereas *Peter Cattel*, of the ſaid Province, Planter, has exhibited his Petition to the Juſtices of the Court of *Common Pleas*, ſetting forth, that he is in the Cuſtody of the Provoſt-Marſhal of this Province, on Meſne Proceſs, at the Suit of *Richard Palmer*, for a Debt to him juſtly due, and that he is ready and willing to make Surrender, upon Oath, to one or more of his Creditors, in Truſt for the Reſt, all and ſingular his Eſtate, both real and perſonal, a Liſt or Schedule thereof being annexed to his ſaid Petition, and prays to be admitted to the Benefit of the Acts of the General Aſſembly in ſuch Caſe made and provided. *It is therefore ORDERED*, and the ſaid *Richard Palmer*, and all others to whom the ſaid *Peter Cattel* is in any wiſe indebted, are hereby ſummoned, and have Notice to appear at the uſual Place of Judicature in *Charles-Town*, at the Meeting of the Court of *Common Pleas* which ſhall happen next after *Thirty* Days from the Publication hereof, to ſhew Cauſe, if any they can, why the ſaid *Peter Cattell* ſhould not be entitled to the Benefit of the ſaid Acts upon his complying with the Terms therein preſcribed. *July 9th*, 1748.

JAMES WEDDERBURN, *Cl. C. P.*

SOUTH-CAROLINA. WHEREAS *Rawlins Lowndes* Provoſt-Marſhal of this Province, in purſuance of a Writ of Attachment to him directed, did on the 7th Day of *July* laſt, ſeize and attach all the Monies, Goods, Chattels, Debts and Books of Accompts belonging to *William Davis* late of *St. Thomas's* Pariſh Planter, which were in the Hands, Cuſtody and Poſſeſſion of *Rice Price*, in order to make the ſaid *William Davis* a Party in his Majeſty's Court of *Common Pleas* in *Charles-Town*, before the Juſtices thereof, to anſwer to the Demands of *John Williams* of *St. John's* Pariſh Planter. AND *whereas* the ſaid *John Williams* hath this 28th Day of *November* 1747, filed his Declaration againſt the ſaid *William Davis*, in the Office of the Clerk of the Court of Common Pleas in Charles-Town, a Copy whereof is poſted upon the Priſon-Houſe in Charles-Town, with a ſpecial Order of Court under-written thereon,

'ORDERING, *That the Defendant do plead to the 'Action within a Year and a Day, or Judgment by 'Default.'*

THESE are therefore to give Notice, That in Caſe the ſaid *William Davis* do not appear and make his Defence in the ſaid Action, on or before the 29th Day of *November*, which will be in the Year of our Lord 1748, final and abſolute Judgment will then be given and awarded againſt him, according to the Form and Effect of an Act of the General Aſſembly of this Province in that Caſe lately made and provided. *Nov.* 28th, 1747.

Run away from the Subſcriber, a yellow Negro Fellow named *Sampſon*, formerly belonged to Major [illegible] deceaſed, and is ſuppoſed to keep about *Dorcheſter*. Whoever will bring the ſaid Fellow, or his Head, ſhall receive from the Subſcriber in *Chriſt-Church* Pariſh, or the Warden of the Work-Houſe, *Ten Pounds* as a Reward. *Charles Ratcliffe*

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FIeld-Marſhal Count Traun, who died lately in Tranſylvania, was juſtly reckoned one of the greateſt Generals in Europe. 'Twas owing to his excellent Plan and the fine Diſpoſition he made of the Auſtrian Troops, in one of the Campaigns in Bohemia, that the Pruſſians were driven out of that Kingdom without ſtriking a Blow; and more latterly his celebrated March from the Heart of Germany and Junction with the Allies, in ſpite of the vigilant Conti, who lay ſeveral Weeks ready to intercept them, acquired him a Reputation which nothing can ever ſurpaſs. 'Tis ſaid he earneſtly recommended on his Death-bed, to keep a ſtrict look out towards Bohemia, where he dreaded a Storm, from a Quarter whence no Good has ever yet accrued, either to his Imperial Miſtreſs or any of her Allies.

ADVERTISEMENTS.

IMPORTED from London, *in the John & Jane*, and to be ſold very reaſonable, by *Robert Waller* in *Broad-ſtreet*, fronting *Union-ſtreet*, 7 8th and yard wide *iriſh* linnen, nuns and bag hollands, *iriſh*, *ruſſia* and *ghentiſh* ell wide ſheeting, osnabrigs, plain and flowered cambricks, plain, flowered and clear lawns, *paris* net, black lace hoods, black lace, check'd and white ſhirts, men, women and children's thread, worſted and cotton hoſe, women's thread and cotton gloves, pavillion gauſe, mens double channel pumps, and ſhoes, pewter and hard metal plates and diſhes, tea-kettles and ſauce-pans, piſtols, ſhot, dice, bed-ticks, hyſon and bohea tea, loaf ſugar, variety of gold and ſilver watches, with ſundry other *european* goods. Alſo, a good dry cellar to lett, by the Month or Year. ✕

STOLEN out of the Houſe of *Thomas Blythe*, the 4th Inſtant in the Evening,

A Silver-headed Cane, A black Silk *Spaniſh* Collar,
A Hat, and A Silk Robe of his Order,

All belonging to one of the *Spaniſh* Gentlemen Priſoners taken by his Majeſty's Ship *Fowey*. If offered to Sale, pray ſtop them; or if any Perſon will bring them to me or to Col. *Priſtman's*, he or ſhe ſhall have a reaſonable Reward, and be aſk'd no Queſtions by

Thomas Blythe. ✕

TO BE SOLD, the Plantation whereon I now live on *Charles-Town* Neck, adjoining the *Rat-Trap*, being two Miles and an half from the ſaid Town, containing 148 Acres, with a new Dwelling-houſe and Kitchen, pleaſantly ſituated thereon, alſo ſome Milch Cows, to be diſpoſed of. For Particulars enquire of Mr. *John M'Call* in Town, or myſelf on the ſaid Plantation. ✕

Jonathan Collinges.

A white Horſe, branded on the mounting Shoulder or Buttock IT joined, and about 13 Years old, is ſtray'd into my Paſture at *Beath-Hill*. Any perſon claiming the ſaid Horſe, may apply to ✕ *Richard Waring.*

TO BE SOLD at public Vendue, on the 18th of *July* Inſt. at the Plantation whereon I now live, for ready Money, all the perſonal Eſtate of *Peter Cattell*, jun. deceaſed, conſiſting of ſome choice Slaves, Horſes, Cattle, &c. the Cattle have all perfectly gone tho' the Diſtemper. The Creditors of the ſaid Eſtate are deſired to attend at the Sale; and thoſe of them who have not yet given in their Demands, are hereby (a ſecond Time) deſired to ſend in an Account of the ſame, atteſted, within 3 Weeks, that ſuch Meaſures may be taken for their Diſcharge as the Law requires, and that no Perſon may be excluded of his Dividend by

Catherine Cattell, Adminiſtratrix.

GOOD *Seſſamum* Sallad Oyl, made here, to be ſold at Mr. *Abraham Sneling's*, oppoſite to Mr. *John Sims* in *Tradd-ſtreet*, at 12 *ſ.* 6 per Quart. ⊕

RUN-AWAY in the Night of the 6th Inſtant,

A Senſible Negro Woman, this Country born, named *Hannah*, formerly belonging to Doct. *Ripault* deceaſed, well known in Town, and in *St. John's* Pariſh (where ſhe hath ſeveral Relations.) Whoever brings her to me, or gives ſuch Intelligence of her that ſhe may be caught, ſhall have 5 *l.* Reward: And whoever harbours her, ſhall be proſecuted with Rigour and Severity, by ✕ *Rawlins Lowndes.*

ANY Perſon may be ſupplied with any Number of fine young Sheep that they may want, likewiſe a good Boat that will carry 21 Barrels of Rice, to be ſold, by the Subſcriber on *James-Iſland*. ✕ *Daniel Pepper.*

TAKEN up aſtray, on the South Side of *Aſhley-River* in *St. Andrew's* Pariſh, a bright bay Mare, about 14 Hands high, hath a ſhort ſwitch Tail, and is branded on the off Buttock IE joined, on the mounting Buttock W, and on the near Shoulder M The Owner may have an Order for the Delivery of the ſaid Mare, upon proving his Property, and otherways complying with the Law, before me in *Charles-Town*, within 12 Months. ✕ *Thomas Lamboll*, T.M.

For *LONDON* directly,

The Ship ANSON,
(A Prime Sailor,)
JAMES YOUNG Maſter;
With 12 *Carriage Guns, and* 25 *Men.*

WILL ſail in a Week at fartheſt. For Paſſage agree with the ſaid Maſter on board the ſaid Ship. ☞ *She has very good Accommodations for Paſſengers.*

WHEREAS in the Night of the 28th paſt, between the Hours of 8 and 9, a Negro Man coming to *Charles-Town*, was knock'd off his Horſe in the Highway before Mr. *Evance's* Plantation, by Three white Men on Horſeback, and robb'd of a white Chints Gown, and a white Callico quilted Coat, tied up in a Crocus Bag. THIS IS TO GIVE NOTICE, that if any Perſon will diſcover his Accomplice or Accomplices in the ſaid Robbery, ſo that the Offender or Offenders may be brought to Juſtice, he ſhall have *Twenty Pounds* Currency paid him as a Reward, on the Conviction of ſuch Accomplice or Accomplices. And whoever will bring the ſaid Gown and Coat to the Printer, ſhall have *Forty Pounds* Reward.

TO BE SOLD at publick Vendue, on the 26th Instant (being Tuesday) at the Plantation of *Peter Villepontoux* deceased, in *Christ-Church* Parish, a parcel of choice Slaves, (amongst which are several fine House Wenches, Water-men and Children) Houshold Goods, muscovado Sugar, Plantation and Cooper's Tools, a Quantity of old Iron, and a choice Stock of about 25 Head of Cattle. Credit will be given for 6 Months, giving Bond, with Interest (and Security if required) from the Day of Sale, for all Sums above 20 *l.* all under to be paid Cash.

Also, by private Sale, a small Plantation of 17 Acres of Land, on *James-Island*, adjoining the Plantations of Messrs. *Witter* and *Macartan*, very convenient for marketting and building Vessels: And part of a Lot in *King-street*, joining the Quaker's Meeting-House, 30 Feet Front. Any Person inclining to purchase, may treat with *Isaac Mazyck*, Esq; or with me at *Goose-Creek*.

Zachariah Villepontoux, Executor.

N.B. All those who are any ways indebted to the said Estate, are desired to pay the same by the first Day of *August* next; and those who have any Demands thereon, to send in their Accompts attested.

TAKEN up, a bay pacing Mare, about 12 Hands high, branded 7F, and having a few white Hairs in her Forehead. Any Person claiming the said Mare, may apply to

Peter Taylor.

TO BE SOLD, on very reasonable Terms, a Plantation situate on the North Side of *Stono-River*, containing about 500 Acres, very convenient to a Landing, and extraordinary good for Rice, Corn or Indigo. Whoever has amind to purchase, may treat with me at my House near Mr. *Lambell's* Bridge in *Charles-Town*.

Thomas Jones.

TO BE SOLD, for ready Money, or Six Months Credit, two Tracts of very good Land on *Pedee-River*, one of 483 and the other of 367 Acres. Enquire of *Samuel de Saurcy* in the *Welch* Tract, or of the Collector of the Customs in *Charles-Town*, who has the Plats and Grants.

THIS is to require the Trustees and Subscribers to *Childberry* School, or those that are Heirs to the Subscribers deceased, to meet at *Childberry* the 20th of *July* next, in order to elect a Trustee in the Room of the Rev. Mr. *Daniel Dwight* deceased, *&c.* On which Day WILL BE SOLD, to the highest Bidder, two Lots of Land in the said Town, one fronting on *Mulberry-street* 115 Feet, and 165 Feet deep, on it a decay'd House with a Brick Chimney, number'd in the Town Plat 17. The other back of it, fronting on *Church-street*, No. 24, of the same Quantity of Feet. Which Lots were the Property of Mrs. *Margaret Child* deceased, who by her Will order'd them to be sold by her Executors, for the Benefit of her Heirs.

Francis Yonge.

Taken up a-drift, a new Cyprus Dory, 25 Feet long, and 38 Inches wide, turpentined within and without, has two Rowlocks, and three Seats besides those at her Head and Stern, and a round Hole thro' the main Thought for a Mast, her Stern turn'd high and very upright, she had a long small Rope for her Painter. *ALSO FOUND*, a small mourning Gold Ring, having a Posey. The respective Owners may hear further, by enquiring of

Thomas Lamboll.

RUN-AWAY from my Island, Two Negro Men, *James* and *Frank*, the former is black, tall and thin, and born in *Guiney*, the latter this Country born, about 20 Years old, a very well made likely Fellow, and is supposed to be kept out by Mr. *Henry Yonge's* Negroes near *Port-Royal*. Whoever delivers the said Negroes to *John Pinchard* on the said Island or to me in *Charles-Town*, shall have 5 *l.* Reward for each.

Isaac Porcher.

IN the ANSON, YOUNG, *from* London, THO TROWELL has imported Rich brocaded Silks of the very newest Fashion, TEAS, And sundry *European* Goods, Which are to be sold at his Store in *Elliott-Street*.

JOHN REMINGTON NOTARY-PUBLICK, by lawful Authority (from *England*) *Sworn and admitted*; GIVES due Attendance at his Dwelling, opposite the East End of *St. Philip's* Church, to perform such Acts the Duty of the Office may require.

Brought in the Anson *from London.* A Case with Glass, markt TE in one, and numbered 1; also a Cask, markt RK or PK in one, and numbered 6. The Owners may have them, on paying the Freight and Charges, and applying to

James Young.

WHEREAS *William Smith* of *Charles-Town*, Butcher, (who was some Time ago committed to Prison on Suspicion of Perjury) did on the 7th Instant *June* break out of the said Prison, and having made his Escape, fled from Justice: All Persons whatsoever are therefore hereby cautioned not to conceal, harbour or entertain him, on Pain of being prosecuted; and if any Person shall apprehend and deliver him to *William Mount* Keeper of the said Goal, he or they shall receive as a Reward 10 *l.* current Money, over and above all reasonable Charges.

TO BE SOLD, by JOHN LINING in *Broad-Street*, several *CORDIAL Waters*, at reasonable Rates.

Stray'd out of the Plantation lately Mr. Champneys's, on *Ashley-River*, a chesnut Mare about 14 Hands high, branded WR joined together either on the mounting or off shoulder, with a star in her Forehead and some white Feet, and paces pretty fast. Whoever gives such Intelligence of her that she may be had again, or brings her to me, shall have 40 *s.* Reward.

Robert Reid.

TO BE SOLD, a large and very convenient House up the Path, commonly called the *Bear*, with good Kitchin, Chaise-House, Stables, *&c.* and a large Garden. Treat with

James Velloux.

TO BE SOLD by the Subscriber hereof, for one or seven Years Credit, a Plantation situate on the N. Side of *Stono-River*, containing about 700 Acres, lying between Lands belonging to Messrs. *William* and *Barnard Elliott*, very convenient to a Landing, and extraordinary good for Rice, Corn or Indigo, with good Buildings thereon. Whoever has amind to purchase, may treat with me on *Ashley-River*.

Joseph Elliott.

TOLL'D by *Joseph Goodby* of the Parish of *St. James Goose-Creek*, a brown bay Mare about 13 Hands high, branded on the mounting Buttock G and on the off Buttock like ⋛H⋚ joined together. The Owner may have her on complying with the Terms prescribed by Law, and applying to

Thomas Middleton.

Stray'd into Peter Cahusac's *Pasture in English-Santee*, an old brown bay Horse, 13 Hands high, paces well, branded on the mounting shoulder with a small +, and on the off Buttock AF, hath a long Snip on his Nose, the left fore and hind Feet white. The Owner may have him again, paying the lawful Charges, *&c.*

John Gendron, J. P.

BROUGHT to the Work-House.

May 20th, 1748. *Jammy*, a run-away Negro Fellow, with his Wife and two Children, belonging to Mr. *Watts* in *North-Carolina*.

Will, a run-away Negro Fellow, belonging to Mr. *Watts* in *North-Carolina*.

June 14th, 1748. A run-away Negro Fellow, belonging to Mr. *Mosner* on *John's Island*.

June 15th, 1748. A young run-away Negro Fellow, says he belongs to *Robert Scobbee*.

June 21st, 1748. A run-away Negro Fellow, belonging to Mr. *Robert Williams* at *Port-Royal*.

June 28th, 1748. A run away Negro Fellow, who hops very much in the Shoulder, and speaks very bad *English*, but says his Master lives at *Beech-Hill*.

July 6th, 1748. Two run-away Negroes belonging to *John Fontenet*. And

Dick, a run-away Negro Fellow, belonging to *Thomas Wells*.